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IN RE APPLICATION OF :  
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SERIAL NO: 10/562,661 :  
FILED: OCTOBER 11, 2006 : GROUP ART UNIT: 2622  
FOR: APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR :  
INTERMEDIATE IMAGE FORMATION :  
OF INFORMATION PROPAGATING AS :  
WAVE MOTION PASSING THROUGH :  
OPEN HOLE AND FOR IMAGE PICK-UP :

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

In response to the Office Action dated January 22, 2010, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 6 of this paper.